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NOTICE OF APPEAL
TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND
<b>REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF</b>
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Date: October 30, 20

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Sir:

- 1. Transmitted herewith for filing is a Notice of Appeal in response to the Office Action mailed April 30, 2007, in which a response was filed on July 2, 2007, and an Advisory Action issued on August 3, 2007, for the above-identified application.
- 2. Applicants hereby request a **three-month extension of time** to respond to the Office Action of April 30, 2007, which set a three-month period for response. The extended period for response expires on October 30, 2007. Please charge the \$1,050.00 extension fee and any additional fees to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**, deposit account number 11-0600.
- 3. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**, deposit account number 11-0600:

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- E. Any additional post-patent processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20; or
- F. Any additional miscellaneous fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.21.
- 4. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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